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Aaron Hancock Interpace Industries, Inc 736 West Harrisville Road Ogden Utah 84412

Subject: <u>Incomplete Notice of Intention to Conduct Exploration, Interpace</u> <u>Industries, Inc., Fox Clay Project, E/049/052, Utah County, Utah</u>

Dear Mr. Hancock:

The Notice of Intent to Conduct Exploration (NOI), received by the Division on September 2, 2005, concerning the proposed exploration project located in SW/4 of Section 20, Township 7 South, Range 1 West, SLBM, Utah County, Utah is incomplete. The following information is required:

- The map submitted needs to accurately depict the location and size of all exploration activities planned, including access routes (i.e. if 10-15 trenches are to be dug, the proposed location of 15 trenches and the proposed access route to each trench need to be on the map). Identify by name, number etc. each area, trench, etc. so that if only a portion is completed, it is easy to identify which were completed. This map needs to be labeled (name or number), and dated. The location (township range and section), map scale and 'north' arrow need to be identified as well.
- The description of activities that will be performed need to be identified (if bulk samples area needed, and location of where they will be obtained and the size of the sample (cu. yds. or tons).
- Reclamation surety is required to be posted by <u>all</u> mining or exploration operations. The amount of surety required is determined as follows: \$5,700 for up to one acre of disturbance, then \$3,450 for each additional acre or portion thereof, up to five acres (total of \$20,500). If the disturbance is expected to exceed



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five acres, a detailed exploration and reclamation notice must be submitted and the surety will be calculated. Please contact Beth Ericksen at (801) 538-5318 for further information and forms regarding the surety documents.

The Division will suspend further review and await your amended Notice of Intention. In reply, <u>please refer to file number E/049/052</u>. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Susan M. White

Mining Program Coordinator Minerals Regulatory Program

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